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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
Karen UHLMANN et al	)	Confirmation No. 4952
Appln. No.: 10/823,784	)	
Filed: April 14, 2004	)	Examiner: Amanda M. Shaw
For: <b>METHOD OF DETECTING</b>	)	Art Unit: 1634
<b>EPIGENETIC BIOMARKERS.....</b>	)	<b>ATTY. DKT: 3035-101</b>

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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action of June 19, 2008, applicants submit the following response. On September 19, 2008, applicants filed a notice of appeal so that the response deadline is November 19, 2008.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.